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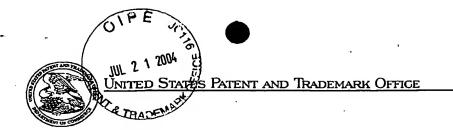
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Director of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers - Filing Date Granted (copy attached) mailed on May 21, 2004, the formal drawings were filed on March 29, 2004. A copy of the formal drawings as filed, a copy of the Letter to the Official Draftsperson and a copy of the stamped postcard receipt are attached hereto.

Entry of these documents on March 29, 2004 should have completed all of the filing formalities and fully satisfied all requirements of the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers. Examination and allowance of this application in due course are respectfully solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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Sir:

Please substitute the attached 7 sheet(s) of formal drawings depicting Figures 1-8 for the corresponding drawings filed with the application.

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